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SCISSORS AND PENCIL

Meredith is certainly degenerating. In the good old days when the premises occupied at present by Gilbert Pynn were used as political headquarters, votes were sometimes quoted by dealers in both parties at from \$10 to \$50, very seldom ruling under the latter figures. But the whirligig of time brings strange changes. At the election last week the prices wobbled a little, fluctuating between \$1 and \$2, no business being done above \$2, although in a few cases a glass of hard cider was tacked in to bind the bargain. At Ashland, however, there was something doing. Votes brought from \$15 to \$25, and the demand was greater than the supply. One ward in Concord had \$1500 to distribute amongst the honest voters, a sum large enough to buy a new hat for every voter in the ward, and also to pay the first instalment on a new suit of clothes. Yes, verily, Meredith is degenerating.

Returns of the vote cast for and against license have been received from

275 towns at the office of the state board of license commissioners, and of these only forty have voted for license. The number last year in favor was 57, and it is expected the final result will show a loss to the license cause of 10 towns.

A resident of Laconia became naturalized by Judge Stone in that city a few days ago, and after the operation was made a forgetful enough to wear off the Judge's hat. That's characteristic of the average American citizen. Nothing appears to be too good for us, and we grab about everything we can lay our hands on. The Judge has had to invest in a new tile, and prisoners brought before him for sentence need expect no mercy until the incident has been forgotten.

The following statement from the New Haven Register probably expresses a Democratic feeling that is widely prevalent just now: "We salute Uncle Sam's men, with undiminished courage, either physical or intellectual. We are with you, old boy, to the last moment."

shadow never grow less, and may you live to kill the hen that would scratch the dust from your grave."

Up in Berlin they have a Sunday Evening Club and at the last meeting the subject of amusements was discussed, members taking the ground that only those recreations which have an elevating influence should be indulged in. Mountain-climbing, hunting and fishing were recommended. One Dr. Flagg questioned whether hunting as a mere sport could be approved and the editor of the Independent, in reporting the speech, said:

"He should have been more cautious than to utter such sentiments in a community where hunting and fishing are such popular sports."

Pretty good argument, that. We must not condemn things that are popular, eh? We should like to hear the views of the Independent on dancing, basketball and other amusements, where, at least, innocent creatures are not killed to satisfy a love of sport.

While the recent election campaign was not at all strenuous, the Manchester Union, the Manchester Mirror and the Arizona Kicker managed to keep the people awake in their respective localities. Putney of the Mirror has quieted down and, it is said, will soon comb his grizzled locks, while Gordon Woodbury of the Union has laid the cartoon dog away in its coffin, to await resurrection in the sweet though uncertain by and by.

And now they are talking of Douglas of Massachusetts as a possible Democratic candidate for the presidency in 1908. If he should show up with the statesmanlike goods during his term in the governor's chair and win a second term, the thing would be a great deal to be proud of. Should he make mistakes of the heart or head as did Bates—well, the election returns show that Massachusetts at least has thousands of independent voters—men who think and vote as they think.

Now in this day of our reckoning, let us gather up what is left to us and see what we can make of it. For the G. O. P. is "it" for four years, and the minority might as well follow the path of safety by being sane enough to know when it is beaten. Resurrections there have been, and will be, but for the present "lay low and say aye!"—Concord Patriot.

There's always a first time for everything. President Roosevelt is the first accidental President who ever won the approval of the people. It is liable to happen again, but let us hope that no vice-president will ever again reach the President's chair through assassination.

If Teddy Roosevelt ever enters another presidential race it will be just as well to make it unanimous. Hard feelings and many dollars can be saved by doing so.

The construction of seventeen new warships is to be urged upon Congress when it meets. The cost is estimated at \$41,000,000.

MEREDITH NECK

John Coe of Center Harbor was on the Neck one day recently.

C. I. Gordon and family visited in Sanborn last Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Gould and wife were in Boston recently.

A. J. Mead was a recent visitor in Gilead.

GEO. Avery of Plymouth was on the Neck Sunday.

Mr. Perkins will preach at the church next Sunday.

Mrs. B. R. Perkins and Mrs. Kimball of Gilead visited at J. C. Dockham's this week.

The Winona Telephone company of New Hampton, with a capital of \$2,000, has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. The incorporators are all residents of New Hampton.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

C. W. Morrison, Geo. F. Sanborn, A. A. Bennett & Co., Center Harbor, F. M. Smith, Center Sandwich.

MEREDITH CENTRE.

Services at the mission, Nov. 20, at 10:45 a. m., to which everybody is most cordially invited.

Arthur Casey, a young lad, is making his home for the present with Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Kimball.

Mrs. Laura Canney and Miss Florence Wiggin were recent visitors at Mrs. and Miss Canney's.

Mrs. Richard Parker of Newport, Vt., has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. Corliss.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Guy Piper of Meredith visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Piper, Sunday.

Mrs. James T. Evans of Meredith was recently here in the interest of the Eastern Shoe Co.

Mrs. John Downing and son of Center Harbor drove eleven miles Sunday morning and attended services at the mission.

Joseph F. Smith has reshingled his house.

Mrs. O. J. Piper preached a fine sermon at the mission last Sunday. All present enjoyed it.

Chas. Prescott has a horse which was badly injured recently with barbed wire. He hopes to be able to heal the wound and save the animal.

Leroy D. Colby has the frame to his barn up and is pushing business right along.

Mrs. Warren Kimball has been ill. Nelson J. Chase had a horse badly injured by a broken shaft one day recently.

From two and a half quarts of seed corn S. C. Hatch of South Conway raised one hundred and two bushel baskets of corn this year.

MOULTONBORO FALLS.

Wesley Moulton of New Hampton is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Frank Gould.

Miss Grace Fitton was at Laconia recently.

Mrs. C. A. Meloon and son Joseph Meloon, returned to Nashua Monday for the winter.

Mrs. Durward Adams of Sandwich is at her daughter's, Ienlis Adams.

Edgar Danforth of Sandwich called on his cousin, Edward Parrott, Thursday.

James Bickford, who is living at Meredith, has purchased the school house formerly owned by Andrew Moulton.

H. L. Richardson housed his boat for the winter Friday.

Rev. G. E. Burns is to hold a prayer meeting at Mrs. Watson's Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Naomi Parrott and son Edward expect to move into Abbie Varney's house this week.

Lamprey Gets it in the Neck. Laconia, Nov. 14.—George R. Lamprey of Center Harbor was arraigned in the Supreme Court here for unlawfully conducting a drug store. Mr. Lamprey pleaded guilty and a fine of \$110 and costs was imposed by the court.

MOULTONBORO

Chas. Robinson was in Boston over Sunday.

Agnes Jaclard has been spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Blanchard.

The Ladies Aid Society will hold a social with Mrs. Isaac Moulton Friday evening November 18.

H. O. Haley and wife went to North Conway last week to witness the close of the contest between Sandwich and North Conway Granges.

Asa Webb and wife of Wolfeboro have been visiting in town.

Mrs. Clara (Jaclard) Parent of Laconia has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Blanchard.

Dr. Lovering and wife were at the Lake city last week.

Among the absent ones whom we noticed home to vote were: Will Smith, Stephen Jaclard and Frank Porter.

Mrs. L. A. Moulton and Grace Tilton were at Laconia last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson, who have boarded at W. C. Robinson's for several months, have gone to Pendecenter Mansion Intervale.

M. A. Richardson was at Madison over Sunday.

Chester Moulton and J. Berry captured a deer each last week.

R. G. Adams in his letter in last week's issue, in regard to his life being threatened and the lives of others being endangered by a man with a gun in his hand, did not mention the fact that this young man was aggravated beyond endurance by those living near him, because he has been trying to lead a different life from those connected in the affair, and furthermore, we wish to state that due notice was taken of the shooting affair.

The young man was arrested and Justice trial and bail was promptly furnished by prominent citizens of this place.

CENTRE HARBOR NECK

Guy E. Cram has sold a large tract of land from his farm, which E. E. Simonds has been surveying the past week.

Archie McDonald has been on the invalid list for several days.

The land force at Lakewood has been considerably reduced by the recent snowstorm.

The village schools enjoyed a vacation Monday for visitors' day.

The telephone service here was severely damaged by Sunday's heavy storm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hutchins were in Meredith Friday.

A two story house is in progress of construction for the use of Chas. Derw the coming winter at Lakewood.

H. D. Lord has returned to Manchester, leaving Mr. and Mrs. Leon Neamille as caretakers in his farm house for the winter.

Bears are the excitement up around Ashland and New Hampton just now. As Fred Valler and Jack Ayer were out walking on the road from New Hampton one day recently they came across a bear eating apples by the highway near Otto Wiloughby's. The bear rose up and greeted them with a howl and they turned and hurried back for a gun, but when they returned the bear had skipped.

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MERIDITH

The first real snow of the season fell Sunday.
Malaga grapes, Florida oranges, new figs, lemons, nuts, at Sanborn's.
Himes V. Jones is building a large barn for Miss Shepard in Holderness.

Howard Morrison and Miss Florence Baker were recently united in marriage.

J. H. Plaisted's residence has recently been connected with the water system.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rowell of Bristol are to take up their residence in Meredith.

John Jackson and George K. James Jr. leave shortly for South Carolina, where they are to work this winter.

L. S. James and party, assisted by Mr. James dog, "Brownie," shot a fox and a hedgehog the first of the week. W. J. Tuttle also secured a fox.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the postoffice: November 7—Miss Emma Bellanance; November 14—Francis E. Couture, H. W. Mudgett.

Don't burn the dead leaves. They make a good fertilizer when rotted, and there is nothing better to throw into the poultry yard for the fowls to scratch over to find their food.
The Democrats and Republicans hauled in their campaign banners out of the snow Monday. The emblems of victory and defeat are now reposing in some dark closet to await a call four years hence.

The U. S. postal authorities have decided that more than one family may use one rural free delivery mail box, provided they notify the postmaster of the distributing station.

E. T. Duffield, principal of the High School, was called away last Thursday on account of sickness at home, and the school has been in charge of one of the pupils, Frank J. T. E. Belmont of Centre Harbor, during the Principal's absence.

The following real estate transfers were recently recorded: Meredith: Charles J. Smith to Ebenezer M. Buzzell; Martha E. Pease to Frank P. Cox, \$150. Centre Harbor: Thomas A. Simpson to H. A. Hermon. Holderness: Mary E. Blair to Nataniel S. Calley; Henry S. Calley to Ned B. Sanborn; Francis M. Hughes to Dora J. Cotton; Emma P. Cummings to Addie I. Smith.

The firemen of Meredith announced their annual Thanksgiving ball with more than usual pleasure this year. Amusements of this kind have been rare during the past year and the boys are preparing an event that will be sure to please lovers of good music and dancing. Firemen are to appear in uniform, and Billbrick's Concert orchestra of six pieces will furnish the music. Supper at Elm Hotel. Concert begins at eight o'clock, grand march at nine. Harry Dow is to officiate as floor manager, and his aids have been selected as follows: N. W. Hickok, Henry Langner, N. J. Bordreau. The committee having the ball in hand is composed of Guy Perkins, N. J. Bordreau and Frank Davidson.

MEREDITH

If you want a nice little tenement enquire of Dr. Nutting.
Have you seen the new line of toilet soaps at Sanborn's?
Bartlett & Smith, masons, have been kept busy this fall.

Miss Allie Meserve, who is teaching in Woodstock, was here over Sunday with the family of Hiram Meserve.

You may want some of those bargains in Sanborn's 10-cent window.
Miss Saman, a missionary from Africa, will give a missionary address at the Baptist Church Friday evening, commencing at eight o'clock.

Parlor wood stove for sale, or will exchange for coal stove. H. S. Mong.

E. F. Wiggin was the first to appear on the streets with a sleigh Monday, less than two inches of snow covering the ground.

The Ashland Basketball team, the champion amateurs of New Hampshire, visit Meredith this (Wednesday) evening and indulge in a scrimmage with the best players Meredith can scare up. The game promises to be interesting.

Mrs. Clara (Hoyt) Clough and pupils, assisted by Mrs. Ruth Bailey, reader, and Mr. Eugene F. Clough, baritone, cordially invite their friends and all interested in their work to be present at their Recital at the Town Hall, Saturday evening, Nov. 19, at 7:45 o'clock.

Gallery tickets for the concert connected with the Firemen's Thanksgiving ball, which takes place Wednesday evening, November 23, have been placed at 25 cents. They can be purchased from any of the firemen. Buy now and avoid the rush at the door.

Complete returns of the vote of the city of Manchester have been published, from which it appears that County Commissioner John F. Clough, as usual, leads his ticket. Mr. Clough not only received the substantial plurality of 1476 in his home city, but he led his associates on the Republican ticket by more than 200.

An old weather prophet in Pennsylvania, whose chart is the breast bone of a goose hatched last spring, cheers us up with the prediction of another hard winter. He says: "I find that the bone is dark all the way through, and according to the discolorations the winter of 1904 and 1905 will be very severe. It will start early in November and will continue until late in the spring. The indications are that we shall have great snowstorms. The bone indicates that the temperature will be very low, and there will be an immense crop of ice. My advice to the people is—Fill your coal bins, and do it early, and you'll never have cause to regret the advice of the goosebone man."

Mary Salter was brought before Justice B. R. Dearborn Monday morning, charged with procuring liquor for a man named George Walker. The latter was arrested Sunday for being drunk, and "squealed" on Salter. Salter admitted procuring the liquor, stating that he went to Laconia Saturday and was given money by Walker to buy half a pint of alcohol. Not knowing that it was against the law, he carried out the former's wishes. He will have ten days at the county farm to study the laws of New Hampshire, and in addition will have to deplete his wad of long green to the extent of about \$12, in costs and fine. Salter is an inoffensive fellow, and not over-burdened with knowledge of the wiles and ways of this wicked world, so that he comes in for considerable sympathy. The circumstance leading to the two arrests are furnishing considerable amusement to those conversant with the details of the affair.

Hood's

Sarsaparilla enjoys the distinction of being the greatest curative and preventive medicine the world has ever known. It is an all-round medicine, producing its unequalled effects by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood on which the health and strength of every organ, bone and tissue depend. Accept no substitute for Hood's, but insist on having Hood's AND ONLY HOOD'S.

MEREDITH

Dry wood at Beede's, sawed if you want.

Chester White Pigs for sale by M. G. Webster.

Thursday is gold bond day at O. E. Osgood's. Don't forget the date, Nov. 17.

B. R. Dearborn, J. Willis Mead and M. E. Blake are in Laconia on jury duty during the present term of court.

Sanborn's warranted pocket cutlery continues to excel. Every knife fully guaranteed to be perfectly satisfactory or money cheerfully refunded.

An effort is being made to organize a branch of the Y. M. C. A. in Meredith. The Rev. E. B. Teley is much interested in the project and a meeting is to be held shortly to discuss the matter.

Farmers who work large farms to little profit should be interested in the fact that Sidney W. Roys of North Bangor, N.Y., has realized \$1,600 from two acres of land in the last three years.

C. E. Eastman and James D. Bartlett are taking a week in the woods in search of deer. They left Tuesday, armed to the teeth and expect to bring back one or more deer specimens of the quadrupeds now in hiding.

Do not forget the missionary address at the Baptist church Friday at 8 p.m. Miss Saman has been in the mission field in Africa and knows the conditions a missionary has to meet there. Attend and hear about it. Everybody invited.

A man named Charles Higgins, employed by Geo. W. Bartlett on Timber Island, was struck by a cant book while teaming Friday, and it was feared that his leg was broken. Sunday he was placed in a boat and taken to The Weirs, as the lake was so rough that a passage to Meredith could not be effected. Monday morning he came to Meredith and his injuries were properly attended to.

High School Notes.

(Items intended for this department may be left with Frank J. T. E. Belmont.)
Last Wednesday the M. H. S. basketball team was defeated by the Merediths by a score of 19 to 37. The boys have not lost their courage, although the attendance was rather small. It begins to look as though basketball will have to go out of business. Next Tuesday we will play a game with the Tilton Seminary team, and we hope to have a good attendance. If we do not have a good attendance at the games, we cannot pay expenses, and that means that the M. H. S. basketball team will have to disband. How many would like to see the High School without such a team?

Last Friday afternoon the students of the High School had a short vacation.
Don't forget the date of the coming game with Tilton Seminary, Tuesday evening, Nov. 22.
Several of the students attended the Tilton-New Hampton football game at Tilton Saturday.

Oliver E. Bixby of Haverhill, Mass., visited the High School today. Prof. Chandler also made a short call here Monday afternoon.

Mr. Mitchell and Miss Blake were absent from school Monday.

This week the English Literature class has finished the study of several plays and novels on which they have been busily engaged for the past four weeks.
The Freshman class has been doing some fine work in composition lately. Monday the pupils of the lower forms participated in a snowball fight.

THE GRANGE

The special meeting of Winesap Grange last Friday evening was largely attended, about thirty members from New Hampton grange being present besides several from Meredith Center and Centre Harbor. The county Pomona master, Freeman G. Smith, was also present. An early supper was served to all, after which the program was given by New Hampton grange as follows: Reading, Miss Goodell; grange journal, Mrs. Clay; reading, Mr. Clay; recitation, Miss Eva Rand. This was followed by the drama "Struck Oil." The parts were all remarkably well taken and the whole of the fine entertainment was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Eugene Clough of Manchester was present and furnished the music for promenade. The meeting broke up about 12 o'clock.

MEREDITH

Sunday's storm did but little damage in Meredith.

Major B. B. Beede and party have gone to Florida.

Dr. W. B. Parshley was in Boston the first of the week, attending the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. J. F. Beede and Mrs. B. Blaisdell attended the last meeting of the Laconia Woman's Club.

Query: Isn't it pretty near time for the Fire Commissioners to protest against the present aright service?

Mrs. F. H. Cram and Mrs. O. P. Smith were recent guests of Mrs. E. Kimbly.

During the high wind Sunday a large limb broke off from one of the elms in front of the Elm Hotel.

For the best selection of phonographs and records go to the Meredith Music Co.'s store. Two new lots received this week.

Dermatol for rough skin, chapped hands, sunburn, and for gentlemen after shaving is soothing and healing. At Sanborn's only.

Last Saturday afternoon Miss Dorothy Lincoln entertained a number of her schoolmates at her home.

Lyman White sustained a slight shock a few days ago and is restricted to his home on Winnepesaukee street.

Another interesting basketball game is scheduled for next week—Meredith High School versus Tilton. It takes place Tuesday evening at the Town Hall. Admission, 10 and 20 cents.

If you want any work in the ton, solah line, you cannot do better than call at Gordon's barber shop on Main street. Centrally located, first class service.

Go to Frank O. Thompson, high St., to get your footwear in condition for winter. Shoes repaired, rubber heels put on, and everything in that line carefully attended to.

E. Carleton Mansfield and James F. Estes expect to visit Boston soon for the purpose of examining the house and lot to be given away by the Boston Herald in connection with its Paych contest, and will probably appear in the automobile offered by the same paper.

The next meeting of the Woman's Progress Club, Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 22, will be devoted to phylas through a subject newly taken up this year. Members will tell of some philanthropic woman and her work, and an address on Indian Education at Cardale will be given by Miss Clara D. Merriman of Tilton seminary.

A novel entertainment will be given by the "Elite Lady Minstrel," in the town hall two evenings, Nov. 29 and 30. This will be ahead of anything that has been given in town for years. Two circles of Meredith's most talented young ladies will occupy the stage. There will be solos, quartets, a large chorus, specialties and jokes. Also very attractive features, such as brownies, pikaninies and many other specialties will make this rare entertainment one long to be remembered. The entertainment will be given under the auspices of Winnepesaukee grange and all the participants will be trained by Prof. Leonard, who is a specialist in this line of work.

The stereoscopic entertainment by Prof. A. L. Davis in the Town Hall last evening drew a fair house, and the hall should have been crowded. The pictures of our New Hampshire scenery were beautiful and so remarkably clear as to bring out all the details of the view. Some of the photographs showed the most charming combinations of lake, mountain and cloud effects, and the animal pictures were nicely selected and extremely lifelike. Beginning with the south of the state and traveling north, over a hundred pictures were shown, each one as perfect as possible. Mr. Davis has traveled over a great territory and climbed many mountains to secure these fine pictures, and he is to be congratulated on his success.

New England Boys and Girls

Ten years old and over, have a Father Brother or Relative, in business for himself. If so you can make Fifteen Dollars (15.00) and our circular "Sent upon request," shows you how to make an additional Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars. We have nothing to sell, simply request you to read our letter carefully and hand name to the member of your family who is in business. Write at once for circular. Address P.O. Box 1578, Boston.

THE VOTE GROWING

Interest in the "News" Voting Contest Is Spreading.

A little more stir is evident in the contest now being conducted by the News, in which a \$50 Quaker Range and a \$35 New Home Sewing Machine are to be given away in six weeks—New Year's Eve. The contestants have all added votes to their credit, and subscribers are becoming interested in the contest.

Mrs. George Swain..... 499
Mrs. Grace Thurston Bowers..... 225
Mrs. Charles Bennett..... 162
Mrs. G. F. Bartlett..... 149

Centre Sandwich Paragraphs.

W. H. Cook was recently in town.
Mrs. W. A. Heard has closed her residence here and gone to Concord for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Smith, who have been visiting relatives in town, have returned to their home in Franklin Falls.

Mrs. S. F. French has gone to Boston, where she will spend a few weeks before going to California.

An excellent time was enjoyed by twelve Mr. Israel grangers at North Conway last Friday.

Mrs. C. H. Atwood is quite sick with a cold.

LACONIA.

The main and largest building of the group forming the New Hampshire state home for feeble-minded children was burned Monday.

The fire started about the heating plant in the basement about 10 a.m. The dormitories were in the building, and the children and members of the board of instruction lost every thing but the clothes they wore at the time. All the occupants escaped. The building destroyed was of brick and was built in 1903 at the cost of \$20,000. It was insured for \$7,000.

Unusual Sight.

Owner—These department stores are pretty complete in every way.
Guyer—They are, indeed. I saw a barber shop in one.

Owner—You don't mean it?
Guyer—Yes, for a fact. His wife was sick and he was buying some bargains for her.—Chicago Daily News.

Sensible Advice.

Here is a well-known proverb, Revised to suit the masses—If you in a stone house dwell, Refrain from throwing glasses.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

CONFINED TO HIS BED.



Mrs. Johnson—I wish I could think of something to keep my husband at home tonight.
Mrs. Smithson—Give him an automobile.
Mrs. Johnson—He'd be out more than ever then.
Mrs. Smithson—No, indeed. My husband got one last week and the doctor says he won't be out for six weeks.—Chicago Chronicle.

The Risk of Good Nature. The man who won't complain or fret. No matter how his luck has gone, is thoroughly satisfied, and yet, Oft thoroughly imposed upon.—Washington Star.

Too Particular. Employment Agent—What was the matter with your last place?
Domestic—The missus was too particular.
"In what way?"
"She wouldn't let me look 'th' baby in 'th' folds' 'bed' w'en I had company."
—N. Y. Weekly.

WINONA.

Aaron Chase has the contract for building Benj. Sanbkins' new house.

N. P. Haynes had the misfortune to lose another horse by death Friday morning, the second within a few weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Smith has been entertaining Florence Goodell of New Hampton a few days. They were in Tilton Saturday afternoon.

About twenty of the neighbors spent Thursday evening with the family of N. P. Haynes, it being the eighteenth birthday of Miss Olive Haynes. She was the recipient of a number of pretty and useful gifts. Light refreshments were served, games were played during the evening, and all report a good time.

HOLDERNESSE.

Miss Edna Shepard is having a large stable built. H. V. Jones of Meredith is doing the work.

Mrs. E. O. Batchelder of Ashland now officiates as our R.F.D. carrier. H. W. Cox of Laconia visited his brothers over Sunday.

Frank Barker is in the hospital at Laconia, having undergone an operation for appendicitis Saturday.

The P. & C. Telephone Co. is building a line from Plymouth to Mr. Pratt's place in North Holderness. Frank Cummings and daughter went to Laconia Saturday, the latter remaining until Monday.

About every week Sanborn has a fresh arrival of those delicious Apollo chocolates.

Ayer's

You can depend on Ayer's Hair Vigor to restore color to your gray hair, every time. Follow directions and it never fails to do this work. It stops

Hair Vigor

falling of the hair, also. There's great satisfaction in knowing you are not going to be disappointed. Isn't that so?

"My hair faded until it was about white. It took just one bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor to restore its former color, and I can now boast of my gray hair, looking like the young man's."—J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

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